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11. (SBU) On December 6, DepPolCouns discussed reftel points regarding UNGA votes on country-specific resolutions with MFA D1 International Organizations Deputy Director Ambassador Alexandros Rallis. DepPolCouns expressed appreciation to Greece for its recent votes on the DPRK, Burma, Belarus, and Iran resolutions, as well as its votes on the no-action motions related to those resolutions, all of which were in accordance with U.S. votes. He also stressed the importance of Greece attendance and votes at the Plenary session December 17-19 to ratify these important victories.

12. (SBU) Rallis appreciated U.S. recognition of Greece's votes and said Greece intended to attend and support the final Plenary approvals. Indeed, Rallis said he himself was planning to travel to NYC to ensure Greek attendance. SPECKHARD